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THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

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Intelligence Community Staff

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MEMORANDUM FOR USIB PRINCIPALS

SUBJECT: Review of National Intelligence

1. The Product Review Division of my Staff has produced the first issue of a new publication, the Review of National Intelligence, which I attach for your information. We are seeking through this medium to provide the community with a systematic review and evaluation of finished intelligence products. For a further description of our objectives, I call your attention to both the DCI's and my statements at the beginning of the Review.

2. This is, in effect, a First Edition which I am sending to you and a very limited number of others at the DCI's request. We plan later to issue this edition in a more formal and finished format. In the interim, we ask you to indicate to us the kind of dissemination you think the Review should receive within your own organizations. And the DCI would welcome a general discussion of the concept of this sort of enterprise at an early meeting of USIB. (It would be best, I think, to confine any very specific comments about the contents of the Review to written communications, which are earnestly solicited by the editors.)

3. I will not conceal from you my enthusiasm for this venture. I hope you will share it.

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